

# Autumn meeting programme 2023

Date: Thursday, October 12, 2023

Venue: Delta Hotels by Marriott Forest of Arden Country Club, Meriden,  
Birmingham, CV7 7HR

Time	Item	Comments
11:00 – 12:30	<b>Executive meeting</b>	Executive members only
12:30 – 14:00	Lunch	All members welcome
14:00 – 14:05	<b>Chairman’s welcome</b> <i>Delivered by Ian Doherty, BIAFD Chairman and CEO of Hexstone</i>	All members welcome
14:05 – 14:20	<b>Introducing your BIAFD Secretariat and new member benefits</b> <i>Delivered by Joe Chalk, BIAFD Secretariat</i>	All members welcome
14:20 – 14:50	<b>New legislation on cross-border trading</b> <i>Delivered by Crowe UK</i>	All members welcome
14:50 – 15:00	<b>What’s the latest from Europe?</b> <i>Delivered by Phil Matten, BIAFD Policy Adviser</i>	All members welcome
15:00 – 15:15	<b>Economic update</b> <i>Delivered by Neil Parker, NatWest</i>	All members welcome
15:15 – 15:30	Afternoon break	All members welcome
15:30 – 16:00	<b>Keeping compliant: Staying on the right side of health and safety law</b> <i>Delivered by the HSE</i>	All members welcome
16:00 – 16:15	<b>Health and safety: The real impact</b> Changing a health and safety culture and keeping your most important assets safe <i>Delivered by Ian Doherty, BIAFD Chairman and CEO of Hexstone</i>	All members welcome
16:15 – 16:30	<b>AGM</b>	All members welcome
19:00 – 21:30	Dinner	All members welcome

**General members** – cost for lunch and the general meeting for one delegate is covered by your membership subscription.

**Executive members** – cost for dinner for one delegate is also covered by your membership subscription.

**Group Executive members** – cost for dinner for two delegates is also covered by your membership subscription.

Additional delegates are very welcome.

Please see the costs below:

- Day delegate rate to include lunch, the general meeting, and coffee/tea is £29 +VAT person person
- Three course meal, including wine, is £39 +VAT per person

Costs will be invoiced after the event as normal. Late cancellations may incur a charge if applied by the hotel.

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